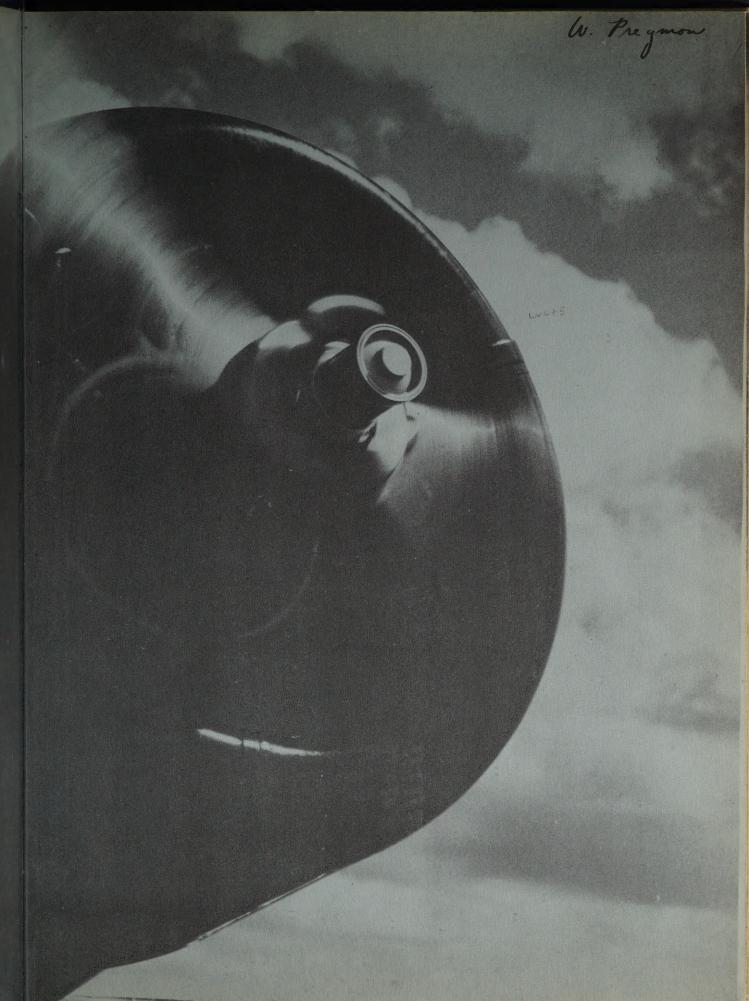


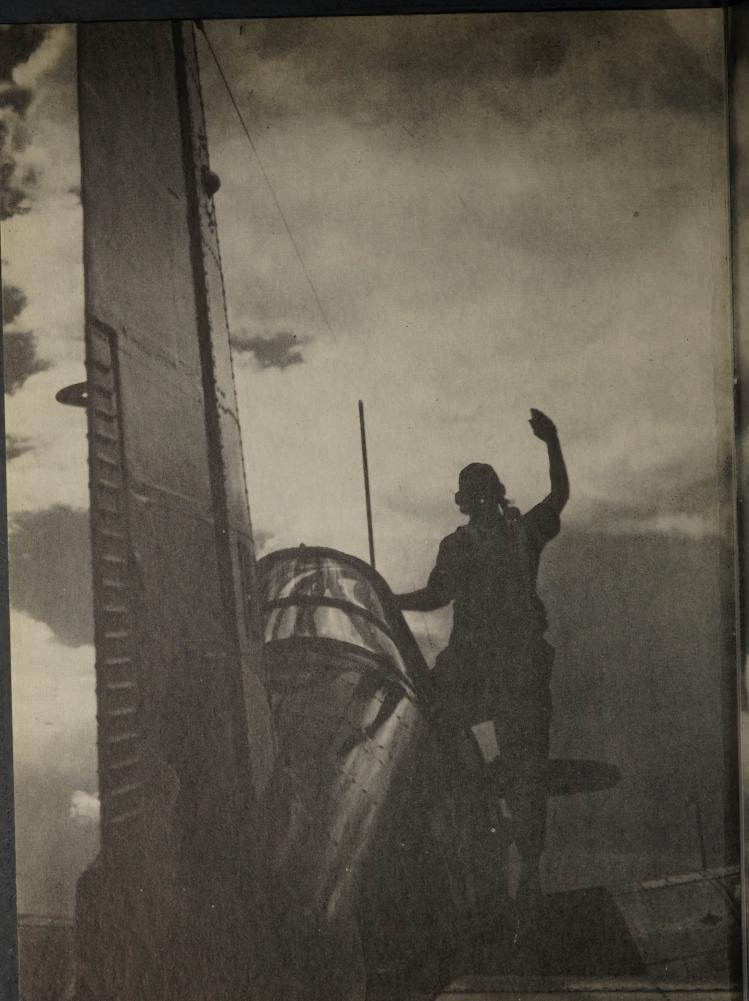
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In Memoriam

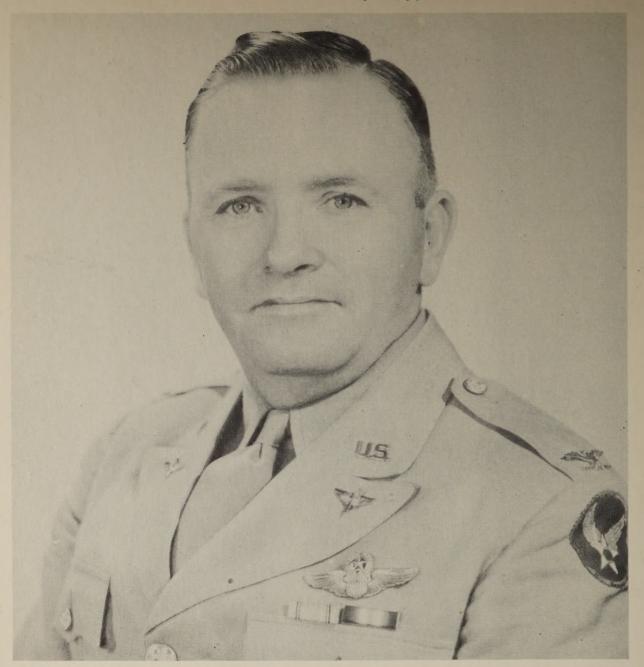
to

LT. SAM H. COFFMAN A/C JAMES T. MACKINTOSH

A/C NORMAN L. KINSCH

With deep respect and admiration for the sacrifice which gave their fellows new courage.

Old Commanding Officer



Colonel 74. C. Wisehart

Known throughout the Western Flying Training Command of the Army Air Forces as a man who got things done, Colonel Wisehart's leadership was further

proven by his part in activating the Pecos Army Air Field.

Born in Wellington, Kansas, Colonel Wisehart graduated with high honors from the United States Military Academy in 1920 and later served at both Randolph and Brooks Fields in Texas. After serving at other fields throughout the country he was stationed in the territory of Hawaii for ten years. In 1940 he entered the Army Tactical school in Washington, D. C. after which Colonel Wisehart was assigned to the office of the Chief of Air Corps as Assistant Chief of Personnel.

In November 1941, Colonel Wisehart was elevated to the rank of Commanding Officer of Lemore Air Field in California, where he served until assigned to Pecos Army Air Base in June of last year. Colonel Wisehart holds ratings as Command

Pilot and Command Observer.

New Commanding Officer



Colonel Orin J. Bushey

Colonel Orin J. Bushey, Pecos Army Air Field's new commanding officer is well qualified to command a flying training post, having entered the Army during the last war trained as an Aviation Cadet and has served with the Air Corps with the Regular

Army since that time.

A graduate of the Advanced Flying School at Kelly Field, the Balloon and Airship school at Scott Field, Illinois and the Aircraft Tactical School at Montgomery, Alabama, Colonel Bushey holds all the Army Air Forces flying ratings, including Command Pilot, Command Observer and Airplane Pilot. Colonel Bushey has served three years on the Staff of the General Army Air Forces and one year as Assistant Chief of Staff under Major General Barton K. Young, Commanding General of the AAF Training Command, Fort Worth, Texas.

Colonel and Mrs. Bushey have a son, Second Lieutenant Robert H. Bushey, and

a daughter, Carolyn Ann Bushey. The family resides at Fort Worth, Texas



MAJOR C. W. THAXTON
Director of Training

Field Oblicers



MAJOR M. H. BAUR Deputy Director of Training



CAPT. C. W. SAWYER Director of Flying



APT. J. RIZZO irector of Maintenance



LT. W. F. CAMPBELL School Secretary



MAJOR F. H. STRAYER Commandant of Cadets



LT. E. J. THOMAS Adjutant

Congratulations to the Class of 43-K on completion of your basic training. You the the last class of the 1943 series, and therefore should be the best one, climaxing the first year of the activity at this school.

We hope that we have made it reasonably hard for you here, so that you have not only grasped firmly the basic elements of your flying and military education, but have stiffened your discipline and determination for the severe tests you face ahead.

A part of us goes with every one of you. It may turn out that you will have to be our representatives in combat. Give them a lick for us by making full use of the pesonal weapons we have tried to give you.

We will be watching your achievements with pride and confidence. We shall be eager to hear from you of your adventures and your victories.

Good luck. God bless you.

FRED H. STRAYER Major, Air Corps,
Commandant of Students



LT. A. T. SPAULDING Senior Tactical Officer



LT. R. R. KILMAN
Physical Training and
Tactical Officer



LT. D. C. GELATT
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LT. D. W. HALBROOK Squadron 3



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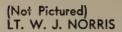
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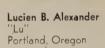
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"Andy"



George N. Ammerman Clara City, Minnesota



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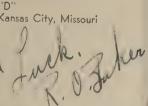


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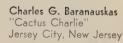
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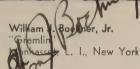
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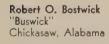
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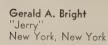




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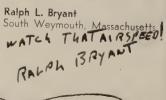
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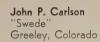
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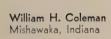




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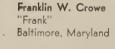
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Dolphus A. Des Rosiers, Jr. "Dolph" Lakeport, New Hampshire



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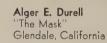
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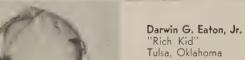
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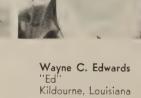


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"Sonny Jim"
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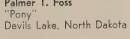
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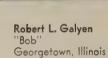
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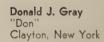
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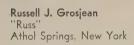
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Canaan, Maine





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John R. Handley
"Jim"
Chicago, Illinois











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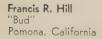




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Bronx, New York, New York



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"Jimmie"
Craig, Colorado



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"Little Joe"
Toledo, Ohio

Wilbur R. Kiger



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Forrest L. Julian "Fish" Janesville, Wisconsin















Thomas L. Kinney Ironton, Ohio



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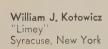


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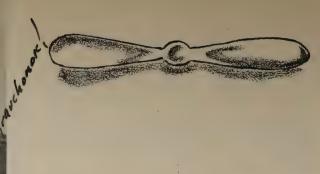


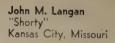






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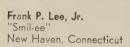


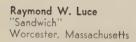
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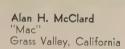
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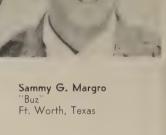
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"Andy"

Norman, Nebraska



Lloyd Q. Marshall Perryopolis, Pennsylvania



Robert S. Mercer "Bob" Canton, Ohio

Rhett F. Martin, Jr.
"Wrecker" Anderson, South Carolina















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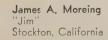
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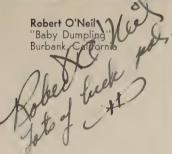
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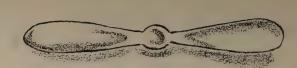
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B. G. Rasmussen



Norman D. Reskin



Salt Lake City, Utah

Robert S. Rice

"Krispie" Carthage, Missouri



Robert G. Reid "Bob" Tonawanda, New York



James R. Reilly
"Jimmy"
Wilmerding, Pennsylvania







John D. Richards
"Don"
Joplin, Missouri





Herbert W. Richmond
"Mountaineer"



Charles G. Reider Ruder

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George M. Rogers "Rebel" McColl, South Carolina

Harold B. Robinson ''Robbie'' Palms, California



Leman Loeb Rosenberg Atlanta, Georgia



Wayne E. Rosenoff "Rosie" Ritzville, Washington

Michael C. Ryan "Mike" Chicago, Illinois





James N. Rowe











Amos L. Saulsbury, Jr.
"A. L."
Downey, California



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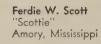
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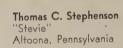
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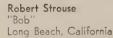
Long Beach, California



Eldon L. Stultz "Lee" Waverly, Ohio

"Suppy" Maweagua, Illinois















Francis L. Sutherland "Cannon Ball" Mountain View, California



Allyn R. Sweet "Sugar" New York, New York



George E. Tachick ', ''George'' Iron Mountain, Michigan



Frank G. Thomas
"Tom"
Collingswood, New Jersey



Jack E. Titelman "Jackson" Los Angeles, California



G. A. Toole



Frank W. Tugend
"Shorty"
Dalton, Pennsylvania





George W. Uttley St. Louis, Missouri

Frank J. Wade Whitehouse Station, New Jersey









William G. Wagnecz "Wagens" Garfield, New Jersey



Leonard Wagner Chicago, Illinois



Joseph L. Watson Quincy, Massachusetts





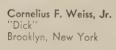
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Mayville, New York

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"Don"
Gardiner, Maine





Clyde H. Welker "Red" Belmar, New Jersey











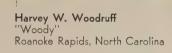
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"Windy"
Long Beach, 5, California



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"Jack"
Bellevue, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania



Allen J. Wisner
"Al"
Lowell, Michigan





Everett E. Worrell "Rhett" Richmond, Virginia



Robert H. Yaryan "Yumyum"

Don E. Youngmark "Swede"

Dixon, Illinois

Ted G. Young
"Tiger"
Mount Vernon, New York



Robert W. Yearsley
"Doc"
Swissvale, Pennsylvania

Douglas Yerkey "Herkey" Goodrich, Michigan







Student Officers



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Ist Lt. Thomas M. Carhart Watervliet, New York



Archie F. Meikle Winglow, Arizona



Ist Lt. Edward D. Mulally "High Pitch" St. Paul, Minnesota



2nd Lt. Henry A. Weidenbusch Father Woodhaven, L. I., New York

2nd Lt. David R. Powers

St. Pauls, North Carolina

"Flaps"



2nd Lt. Robert M. Caywood ''Hardluck' Ft. Worth, Texas



1st Lt. Phillip W. Smith, Jr. ''Sam'' Auburn, Alabama



Jonesboro, Arkansas

Ist Lt. Henry G. Taylor, Jr. San Mateo, California





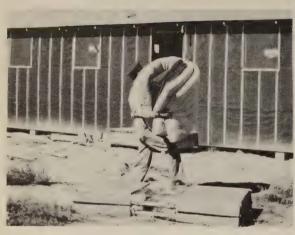


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New arrivals

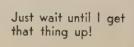




Inspection













Budgeting time





Sons of the soil



True course











Don't sit there like a stale bottle . . .!



A very raunchy crowd'





Old pal, keep hummin'!

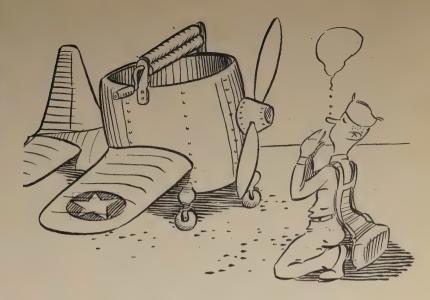


Oh how I'd like to fly!





Bank her up!





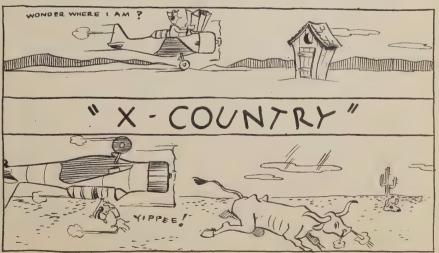
I SEE JOE HAS BEEN UP DUAL ...



They never fail!



Here comes the Dispatcher





Logging the sack time



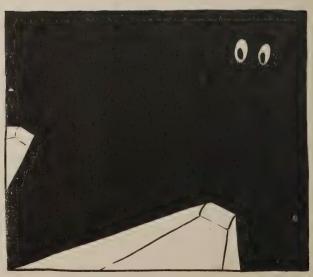
Can I come down now?



Everybody in!



The long and the short



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